

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
HOUSTON DIVISION**

United States District Court  
Southern District of Texas

**ENTERED**

November 01, 2017

David J. Bradley, Clerk

Melvin Wade  
*Plaintiff,*

V.

Wal-Mart Stores Texas, LLC  
*Defendant.*

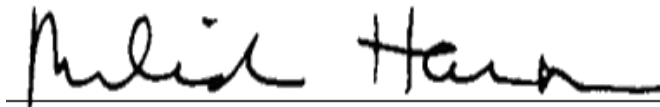
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Civil Action 4:17-cv-02776

**SCHEDULING ORDER**

1. **MOTIONS FOR LEAVE TO AMEND PLEADINGS AND JOIN NEW PARTIES** will be filed by: **January 6, 2018**  
Party requesting joinder will furnish copy of this Scheduling Order to new parties.
2. **EXPERT WITNESSES** for the **plaintiff** will be named and a report of the experts's opinion furnished by: **January 31, 2018**
3. **EXPERT WITNESSES** for the **defendant** will be named and a report of the expert's opinion furnished by: **March 31, 2018**
4. **DISCOVERY** must be completed by: **May 23, 2018**  
Counsel may, by agreement, continue discovery beyond the deadline, but no continuance will be granted because of information acquired in post-deadline discovery.
5. **DISPOSITIVE MOTIONS** will be filed and served by: **July 10, 2018**
6. **NON-DISPOSITIVE MOTIONS** will be filed by: **July 10, 2018**
7. **JOINT PRETRIAL ORDER** will be filed by: **September 11, 2018**  
Plaintiff is responsible for filing the Pretrial Order on time.
8. **DOCKET CALL** is set for 01:30 PM **September 21, 2018**
9. **TRIAL** is set for the two weeks starting: **September 24, 2018**

Signed at Houston, Texas on November 1, 2017.



Melinda Harmon  
United States District Judge